

**RESOLUTION****AWARD OF CONTRACT TO RAPID PUMP & METER SERVICE CO., INC. OF PO BOX AY, 285 STRAIGHT STREET, PATERSON, NJ 07059 FOR THE CONTRACT TO FURNISH, INSTALL, AND OPERATE A SANITARY SEWER BYPASS SYSTEM AT THE GILBRIDE SANITARY SEWER PUMP STATION, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$281,290.00 FUNDED THROUGH THE 21-13 SEWER BOND ORDINANCE**

**WHEREAS**, Thomas M. Genova, Director of Municipal Services, for the Township of Bridgewater, has previously recommended purchase of new pumps and valves for the Gilbride Sanitary Sewer Pump Station since a temporary bypass rental pump is currently the only pump in operation; and

**WHEREAS**, a full bypass is necessary to allow the Township to complete the installation of the replacement valves and pumps; and

**WHEREAS**, William H. Burr, IV, PE, Township Engineer for the Township of Bridgewater, recommends contracting with Rapid Pump & Meter Service Co., Inc. to install a full bypass at the Gilbride Sanitary Sewer Pump which includes emptying and cleaning the wet well; and

**WHEREAS**, Rapid Pump & Meter Service Co., Inc. of PO Box AY, 285 Straight Street, Paterson, NJ 07059, is the vendor through PVSC Cooperative Contract #B279A; and

**WHEREAS**, the cost of implementing the full sanitary sewer bypass system is \$281,290.00

**WHEREAS**, Joseph Sarno, of HFA, Chief Finance Officer has certified the availability of funds for this purchase; and

**WHEREAS**, Bond Council John Draikiwicz Esq. of Gibbons PC concurs in the use of bond proceeds for the purpose stated; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater that Rapid Pump & Meter Service Co., Inc. of Paterson, New Jersey be awarded the aforementioned contract; and

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Rose Witt, the Qualified Purchasing Agent, issue the appropriate purchase order in the amount of \$281,290.00 to Rapid Pump & Meter Service Co., Inc.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Kirsh	✓			
		Kurdyla	✓			
✓		Norgalis	✓			
	✓	Ring	✓			
		Pedroso	✓			

Adopted: December 20, 2021